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SUBJ: PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON TO PRESIDENT ARANA: BEGIN QUOTE: I SPEAK FOR ALL AMERICANS IN EXPRESSING DEEP APPRECIATION FOR THE THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS SENT BY VICE PRESIDENT CACERES ON THE OCCASION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON. END QUOTE.

2. FYI: FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF VICE PRESIDENT CACERES' MESSAGE: BEGIN QUOTE: EN NOMBRE PUEBLO GOBIERNO GUATEMALA Y MIO PERSONAL COMPLACEME FELICITAROS ATENTAMENTE CON MOTIVO DEL 197 ANIVERSARIO DE LA INDEPENDENCIA DE VUESTRA PATRIA Y OS RUEGO ACEPTAR LOS VOTOS QUE FORMULO POR LA FELICIDAD DEL PUEBLO DE ESA GRAN NACION AMIGA Y POR EL BIENESTAR DE VUESTRA EXCELENCIA EDUARDO CACERES LEHNHOFF VICEPRESIDENTE DE LA REPUBLICA EN EJERCICIO TEMPORAL DE LA PRESIDENCIA. END QUOTE.

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3. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE THE TEXT OF THE  
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